

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Patent Application**

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Title: Methods and Apparatus for Providing Secure  
Two-Party Public Key Cryptosystems

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated January 16, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows: